

Consumer Education Sessions Continue in September and October

Free seminars on adult long-term care options for state residents

Eight more sessions scheduled throughout Maryland

Department of Health & Mental Hygiene News Release

Baltimore, MD (September 15, 2010) – The Department of Health and Mental Hygiene Office of Eligibility is offering free public education seminars throughout the state in September and October. Next week, September 20-24, sessions are scheduled for Allegany, Montgomery and Prince George's counties. The following week, September 27- October 1, sessions are scheduled for Wicomico, Dorchester and Baltimore counties. Additional sessions are scheduled in October for Cecil and Anne Arundel counties. All sessions are from 5-7 p.m. and require registration. (See attached schedule for full location and date details.)

The Public Consumer Education sessions on Long-Term Care Partnership and Long-Term Care Medicaid, will focus on care options for Maryland residents: how to be ready when the time comes for nursing home care; how to protect assets and still get the care needed; how to make sure an individual has the right kind of coverage and the right amount of Long Term Care Partnership (LTCP) insurance; how individuals can plan for their future nursing home care; how to help parents get ready for nursing home care; what questions to ask when purchasing a policy; how to plan for future personal and financial independence; how to protect your inheritance and more.

There is no cost to attend the sessions and there is no product solicitation. Trained Medicaid staff will be available to answer long-term care questions.

To register or receive more information, please email Sylvia J. Beall, Senior Medicaid Eligibility Trainer at beallsj@dhmh.state.md.us or call 410-767-3071. Seating is limited.

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